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The applicant hereby claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9(c),(f).

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRADABLE SECURITY BASED ON  
THE PROSPECTIVE INCOME OF A PERFORMER**

Attorney Docket No.: 1713-0013

Enclosed are:

- \* Patent Application - 53 pages of specification including 5 pages of claims
- \* 1 page Abstract
- \* 5 sheets of Informal Drawings
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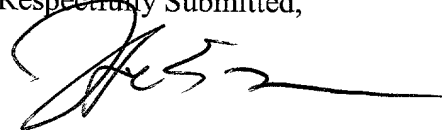
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